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WATCH THE DATE—After your name, renew promptly, and not miss a number. The Postal regulations require subscriptions to be paid in advance.

Senate consideration of the administration food control bill is approaching an end. The final vote is to be taken today.

Danville, Ind., police are looking for the man who posted an appeal: "Awake, your country calls you." A large sign bearing the words was found in the center of the cemetery there.

Fourteen British ships of over 1,600 tons were sunk by submarines and mines in the past week, according to the official report. Four British vessels under 1,600 tons were sunk and eight fishing vessels.

The American troops are still eating the dark French bread which is being paid for with American funds but within a few days bakeries will have been established and the rations will change to white bread with a heavy crust. The American army will then be the only one in Europe eating white bread.

The German merchantman Magdalena Blumenthal, which went ashore off Zandvoort while attempting to run the British blockade from Rotterdam to Germany, is a total wreck. The crew, one of whose members was wounded, has been landed. The Blumenthal was one of the seventeen German merchantmen which put out from Rotterdam, most of which were either stranded, sunk or captured by British destroyers.

Liquor dealers, alarmed at the prospect of the government seizing under the terms of the food bill the vast quantities of distilled spirits in bond, are withdrawing whisky from bonded warehouses at a rate never before equaled. Within the last ten days more than ten million gallons have been withdrawn and the ratio of one million gallons a day bids fair to be continued. Withdrawals have been almost exclusively from warehouses in Kentucky, Pennsylvania and Maryland, the Cincinnati and Peoria, Ill., districts.

Hundreds of Germans in Indiana cities will be affected by a ruling, announced by Geo. N. Murdock, head of the Indianapolis office of the federal bureau of investigation, that alien German residents who, through reckless or disloyal speech have caused investigation by federal authorities, must provide bond before they will be permitted to go or live in restricted zones. Permits issued by the government allow the bearers the privilege of going about or living near military plants or military reservations.

On the Russian front Gen. Korniloff's army in east Galicia is stubbornly holding back the reinforced Austro-German armies which at various points are endeavoring to wrest from them the positions recently won in the Halicz and Kalusz sectors. In the latter region, near the village of Novica, the enemy won a vantage point from the Russians, but immediately afterwards, in a counter-attack, lost it again. The Germans are violently bombarding the Russians south of Brezany and near Halicz. The British and the Germans continue their violent artillery duels in northern Belgium.

For Sick Horses.

For administering medicine to a horse an inventor has patented a hollow, perforated bit with a funnel at one end.

Head of Establishment Adopted Starting Method of Showing Preparedness Against Flames.

Would you be willing to set fire to your place of business, just to show folks that it was amply provided with fire-fighting equipment? That is what the head of a cleaning and dyeing establishment in Louisville, Ky., did recently.

In accordance with a city ordinance, the company had equipped its plant so that steam might be used in extinguishing gasoline fires. Other cleaners were arrested for failure to comply with the ordinance, and when they were being tried the court did not understand why steam was specified as an instrument to extinguish fire.

The head of the plant already equipped offered to demonstrate the efficacy of his steam extinguishing equipment and the offer was accepted. Ten gallons of gasoline were thrown on the floor and walls of one of the rooms. Cleaning machines were filled with gasoline and then closed. A match was thrown into the room and the gasoline burst into flames.

The heat caused the fire doors to close automatically, steam was turned in through a valve and in less than two minutes the flames were extinguished before any damage had been done.

JUST THAT



"What are you thinking about?"
"I was wondering how a man who is separated from his wife is going to find out where his summer clothes are."

TONIC FOR FRUIT TREES.

A novel fruit tree tonic has been brought to the notice of the French Academy of Agriculture. In tests at Autun the earth was removed from the larger branches of the roots, slits were then cut lengthwise along these roots and linseed oil was thoroughly rubbed into the cuts. This treatment was followed in a short time by the development of a fuzz of fine rootlets. The debilitated trees became improved in appearance and continued to gain in health and vigor. It is recommended that an orchard trial of this restorer be made on a scale sufficient to determine its economic value.

CLASSIFICATIONS.

"Oil wells are divided into gushers and spouters."
"Wells, do you mean?"
"I said wells. What should I mean?"
"I thought maybe you were alluding to the promoters."

SITTING IN.

Mrs. Goode—Is your husband out much at night?
Mrs. Decker—I suppose so. He says he is much luckier in the daytime.

HIS GRATITUDE.

Wife—I shall speak to Mrs. Smith for not having us at her reception.

Bored Hubby—Yes; thank her.

HEARING IS BELIEVING.

Teacher—Rachel, use indigo in a sentence.
Rachel (after much thought)—The baby is indigo cart.

NOT CONSISTENT.

"What a dull speech that prohibition orator made."
"Did you expect him to make one full of spirit?"

NATURAL AFFINITY.

"Pop, tell me one thing."

"Yes, Willie."

"Is a Colt revolver a little come"

DIZZY SPELLS

Relieved After Taking Two Bottles Of Cardui, Says Tennessee Lady.

Whitwell, Tenn.—Mrs. G. P. Cartwright, of this place, writes: "About four years ago the dizzy spells got so bad that when I would start to walk I would just pretty near fall. I wasn't past doing my work, but was very much run-down."

I told my husband I thought Cardui would help me, as a lady who lived next door to me had taken a great deal, and told me to try it. This was when we were living in Kentucky.

My husband got me a bottle and I took it according to directions. It helped me so much that he went back and got me another bottle. I got a whole lot better and just quit taking it. I got over the dizzy spells. I took no other medicine at that time nor since for this trouble. No, I've never regretted taking Cardui.

I felt just fine when I finished the second bottle.

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ANNOUNCEMENT.

We are authorized to announce

JOHN C. DUFFY

as a candidate for nomination to the office of County Attorney subject to the action of the Democratic party in the August primary.

We are authorized to announce

WILLIAM R. HOWELL,

of Christian county, as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the State Senate from the District composed of Christian and Hopkins counties. Subject to the August primary.

We are authorized to announce

EDWARD C. MAJOR

as a candidate for Sheriff of Christian county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, August 4th.

We are authorized to announce

H. A. ROBINSON,

of Hopkinsville, as candidate for the Democratic nomination for STATE SENATOR for the Sixth Senatorial District composed of the counties of Christian and Hopkins. Primary August 4.

We are authorized to announce

FRANK RIVES

as a candidate for State Senator of the Christian-Hopkins district, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary on August 4, 1917.

We are authorized to announce

IRA D. SMITH

as a candidate for re-nomination to the office of County Attorney. Subject to the action of the Democratic Party in the August primary.

We are authorized to announce

W. J. MCGEE

as a candidate for the office of Jailer of Christian county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary August 4th.

We are authorized to announce

T. S. WINFREE

as a candidate for Constable in District No. 2, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, August 4th.

We are authorized to announce

CHAS. L. DADE

as a candidate for Magistrate in the Sixth Magisterial district, subject to the Democratic primary in August.

We are authorized to announce

W. A. NICHOLS

as a candidate for the office of Jailer of Christian county, subject to the action of the Republican primary August.

We are authorized to announce

M. V. B. RUSSELL

as a candidate for the office of Jailer of Christian county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, August 4.

We are authorized to announce

JAMES B. ALLENSWORTH

as a candidate for the office of County Judge of Christian county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, August 4th.

We are authorized to announce

THOMAS C. JONES

as a candidate for County Court Clerk of Christian county subject to the action of the Democratic primary, August 4th.

We are authorized to announce

R. T. STOWE

as a candidate for County Court Clerk subject to the action of the Democratic primary Aug. 4th, 1917.

We are authorized to announce

W. L. GORE

as a candidate for Sheriff of Christian county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, Saturday, Aug. 4, 1917.

We are authorized to announce

R. C. HOPSON

as a candidate for the office of Jailer of Christian county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary August 4.

We are authorized to announce

JOHN W. WOOD

as a candidate for justice of the peace in Magisterial district No. 6. Subject of the Republican primary August 4.

We are authorized to announce

T. H. JOINER

as a candidate for the office of County Judge of Christian county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, August 4.

We are authorized to announce

HUGH SEARGENT,

of Beverly, as a candidate for Justice of the Peace of District No. 4, Christian county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, August 4, 1917.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

(CONTINUED)

We are authorized to announce

JOHN L. THURMOND

as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Assessor of Christian County. Subject to Primary election August 4th.

We are authorized to announce

L. E. FOSTER

as a candidate for Superintendent of Common Schools in Christian county, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary on August 4.

We are authorized to announce

ROBERT H. MCCARROLL

as a candidate for County Court Clerk of Christian county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, August 4th.

We are authorized to announce

GEO. W. MCKNIGHT

as a Democratic candidate for Assessor of Christian county subject to the action of the Democratic primary, August 4th, 1917.

We are authorized to announce

Dr. J. B. JACKSON

as a candidate for Representative in the Kentucky legislature from Christian county, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary election on August 4.

We are authorized to announce

W. S. DAVISON

as a candidate for Magistrate of the Second Magisterial district, subject to the Democratic primary in August.

Wisdom.

"To finish the moment, to find the journey's end of every step of the road, to live the greatest number of good hours, is wisdom."—Emerson.

His Turn to Push.

"Yes," said the pompous merchant, addressing a meeting of the local Child for Mutual Self-Improvement, "effort is the keystone of success. We get nowhere without pushing. The motto of the successful man, and think I may claim to be successful, is 'Push, push, push and go!'"

At that moment a vulgar guffaw broke the respectful silence of the audience. The lecturer located it, then pointed a reproving finger at the interrupter.

"You may laugh, young man, but you will soon learn that you will never reach your goal without pushing."

"Nor won't you, neither!" laughed the blimping one. "There's 'aif a dozen kids outside pinching the gasoline from your car to light a bonfire with!"

Fires Extinguished Seives.

A fire in a church in Boston, Mass., melted the lead water pipes in the storeroom where it started, and the water gushed forth as from the firemen's hose. A manufacturer of metal pails, with an establishment in Philadelphia, has his conscientiousness to thank for saving his plant from a fire recently. His orders, says Popular Science Monthly, were that all finished pails be filled with water and left suspended from the ceiling for a time in order to test them. During the noon hour one day, while the men were at dinner, fire broke out in the testing room so such a degree that the solder of the balls connecting the pails melted and the pails dropped, splashing water all over the place and putting out the fire.

Much of Tree Wasted.

About 12 per cent of the volume of the ordinary tree is bark, and little use has heretofore been made of bark except as a source of tanning extract. Recent investigations resulted in the development of a process by which spent tanbark can be profitably used in the manufacture of asphalt shingles, thereby materially increasing the value of this bark.

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